United States Bankruptcy Court <u>SOUTHERN DISTR</u> 61288, Houston TX 77208 (Houston Div	ICT OF TEXAS P.O.Box vision)	PROOF OF CLAIM
Name of Debtors	Case Number	
Stage Stores, Inc., a Delaware corporationX_Specialty Retailers, Inc., a Texas corporationSpecialty Retailers, Inc. (NV), a Nevada corporation	00-35078-H2-11 00-35079-H2-11 00-35080-H2-11	788-2577 Creditor ID#;
*place an "x" beside the name of the Debtor you are filing a claim against		United States D.
Name of Creditor (The person or other entity to whom the debtor owes money or property):  American Trouser Empire State Bldg	Check box if you are aware that anyone else a filed a proof of claim relating to your claim.  Attach copy of statement giving particulars.	JUL 3 1 2000
Name and address where notices should be sent:  ***********************************		Michael N. Milby, Clerk
Suite 3200 New York NY 10118-5296	Check box if the address differs from the address on the envelope sent to you by the court.	
Account or other number by which creditor identifies debtor:	Check here replaces if this claim amends a previously filed claim, dated:	
1. Basis for Claim  X Goods sold  Services performed  Money loaned  Personal injury/wrongful death  Taxes  Other	Retiree benefits as defined in 11 U Wages, salaries, and compensation Your SS#: Unpaid compensation for services from to (date)	n (Fill out below)  performed  (date)
2. Date debt was incurred: 12/04/97	3. If court judgment, date ob	tained:
4. Total Amount of Claim at Time Case Filed: \$ 1,010.50 If all or part of your claim is secured or entitled to priority, also comple Check this box if claim includes interest or other charges in additional charges.	te Item 5 or 6 below.	Attach itemized statement of all interest or
<ul> <li>5. Secured Claim.  — Check this box if your claim is secured by collateral (including a right of setoff).</li> <li>Brief Description of Collateral:  — Real Estate — Motor Vehicle  — Other All personal and intangible property of Debtor's Estate</li> <li>Value of Collateral: \$</li> </ul>	the bankruptcy petition or cessation of th U.S.C. § 507(a)(3)  Contributions to an employee benefit pla	Insecured priority claim  \$4,300),* earned within 90 days before filing of the debtor's business, whichever is earlier - 11  an - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(4).  ase, lease, or rental of property or services for
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Amount of arrearage and other charges <u>at time case filed</u> included in secured claim, if any \$	<ul> <li>Alimony, maintenance, or support owed 507(a)(7).</li> <li>Taxes or penalties owed to governmentation.</li> <li>Other – Specify applicable paragraph of</li> </ul>	to a spouse, former spouse, or child - 11 U.S.C. § al units - 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(8).  11 U.S.C. § 507(a).  28 and every 3 years thereafter with respect to
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